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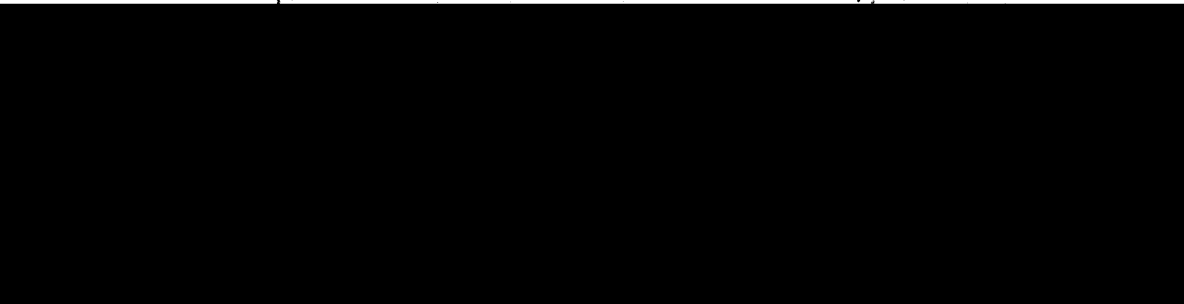
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1. The legally registered Soviet Citizens' Chamber of Commerce in Tientsin is an official Soviet office with its own statutes. It is supervised by the Tientsin Soviet Consulate and the Tientsin Branch of Torgpredstvo. As stated in the statutes, its function is to obtain and report to the Tientsin Soviet Consulate and Torgpredstvo statistical information on commerce and economics. It maintains contact with other foreign chambers of commerce and with the Soviet Citizens' Trade Association in Shanghai. As of April 1948, one hundred and forty-five firms owned by Soviet nationals in Tientsin were members of the Tientsin Soviet Citizens' Chamber of Commerce.

2. The officers of the Tientsin Soviet Citizens' Chamber of Commerce, chosen and controlled by the Soviet Consulate and Torgpredstvo, are as follows:

President:

A. I. Serebrennikov, who prints Soviet propaganda literature in his stationery and printing shop (See [redacted])

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Vice president:

L. I. Levin, a Russian Jewish merchant

Vice president and honorary

secretary:

Y. E. Shluger, a Russian Jewish merchant

Cashier:

I. P. Breznev, a Russian Jewish merchant

Comment: The All China Business Hong-List, Summer 1947 lists the following: "A. J. Serebrennikoff, Printers, Bookbinders, Stationers, Publishers, 13 Chufu Road. Phone: 31222. A. J. Serebrennikoff, Proprietor, Mrs. G. C. Serebrennikoff, I. B. Imshenetsky, Miss G. Kepping, CHANG Lu-an". Other members of the Executive Committee are:

Y. L. Agranovsky

Russian Jewish merchant

M. I. Gurevich

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I. E. Lerman

" " "

D. E. Khabinski

" " "

D. B. Panin

(also reported D. B. Khanin.)

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Members of the Auditing Committee are:

Chairman: A. D. Kirillov

F. P. Ankudinov, a Tartar.

G. Noplokh, a Jewish merchant.

Members of the Revision Commission are:

Chairman: Y. I. Levin

Members:

F. P. Ankudinov

P. A. Bell

I. P. Breznov

N. N. Vladimirov

Y. E. Shluger

I. Y. Glushkov

M. I. Gurevich

I. K. Ifland

L. I. Levin

N. D. Nivikov (Novikov?)

A. L. Rogovin

I. A. Tabakov

D. B. Khanin (? Panin)

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